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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services - Revenue Department - Appeal -Sri M.Gangaraju, former Tahsildar, Kovvur (M) and presently working as Tahsildar, Nidadavole (M), East Godavari District - Disciplinary proceedings initiated under APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991 against him, for committing irregularities by collecting excess amount from Lorry owners and collected fine amount directly by means of cash instead of paid into Government head of account - stoppage of three increments with cumulative effect - Imposed - Appeal filed - Admitted - Revoke the punishment orders - Punishment of Stoppage of one increment with cumulative effect - Imposed - Orders-Issued.

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REVENUE (VIGILANCE.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.1095 **Dated:27.12.2022**

Read the following:-

1. Proceedings of CCLA & Spl.C.S, vide VS (II)(2)/727/2015, dt:21.06.2022.
2. Appeal Petition dt:Nil of Sri M.Gangaraju, Tahsildar, Nidadavole (M), East Godavari District.
3. Govt.Memo.No. REV01-LANA0CCLV(DISC)/113/2022-VIG-III, dt:20.10.2022.
4. From the CCLA, e-file bearing No.REV02-28022/19/2020-VIGILANCE II SECCCLA, dt:15.11.2022.

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ORDER:-

Whereas, it is brought to the notice of the Government that disciplinary proceedings were initiated by framing four article of charges against Sri M.Gangaraju, former Tahsildar, Kovvur (M), East Godavari District on the allegation that he has collected excess amount from lorry owners, who were carrying excessive sand load through their lorries and collected fine amount directly by means of cash instead of collecting the amount by mean of challan paid into Govt. under relevant head of account. After following due procedure under APCS (CCA)Rules, 1991, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., has imposed a punishment of three increments with cumulative effect against Sri M.Gangaraju, former Tahsildar, Kovvur (M), vide reference 1st read above.

2. Aggrieved by the above orders issued by the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Sri M.Gangaraju, Tahsildar, Nidadavole (M) has filed an appeal petition before the Government stating that disciplinary authority has taken its own view and not considered the facts and also stated that fine to be imposed for irregular transportation of sand as per G.O.Ms.No.95, dt:28.08.2014 and there is no mention of fine for excess load. Finally, he has requested the Govt to set aside the punishment imposed by the CCLA.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., was requested to examine the contents in the appeal petition filed by Sri M.Gangaraju, Tahsildar, Nidadavole (M) and furnish report along with specific remarks to the Government for taking further action in the matter. In the reference 4th read above, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P. has submitted the connected records to the Government.

4. Government have admitted the appeal petition and after careful examination of the matter, Government hereby reduce the punishment from stoppage of three increments with cumulative effect to **stoppage of One increment with cumulative effect** against Sri M.Gangaraju, former Tahsildar, Kovvur (M) and presently working as Tahsildar, Nidadavole (M), East Godavari District, under rule 37 of APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991.

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5. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri shall take necessary action in the matter, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G. SAI PRASAD
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To:

Sri M.Gangaraju, former Tahsildar, Kovvur (M) and presently working as Tahsildar, Nidadavole (M), East Godavari District **through** the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri.

The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri.

Copy to:

The OSD to Hon'ble Minister (Rev).
The District Collector, East Godavari, Rajamahendravaram.
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SECTION OFFICER